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Council Meeting Date: 8/15/		2005	Department ID Number:	AD 05-11	

# CITY OF HUNTINGTON BEACH REQUEST FOR CITY COUNCIL ACTION

SUBMITTED TO:

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS

SUBMITTED BY:

PENELOPE CULBRETH-GRAFT, CITY ADMINISTRATOR &

PREPARED BY:

Patricia Dapkus, Dept. Analyst, Senior

SUBJECT:

Approval of Contract with Management Partners, Inc. for Development

of a Strategic Plan

Statement of Issue, Funding Source, Recommended Action, Alternative Action(s), Analysis, Environmental Status, Attachment(s)

<u>Statement of Issue</u>: Approval of a contract with Management Partners, Inc. to facilitate the development of a City Council Strategic Plan.

Funding Source: To be appropriated out of the unappropriated General Fund Balance.

#### Recommended Action:

#### Motion:

- 1. Approve use of Management Partners, Inc. to facilitate the City Council Strategic Plan
- 2. Approve the contract with Management Partners, Inc. for an amount not to exceed \$28,751
- 3. Appropriate \$28,751 from the unappropriated General Fund Balance to cover the cost of the contract with Management Partners, Inc.

### Alternative Action(s):

Do not approve the contract with Management Partners, Inc. and direct staff to prepare a contract with one of the other consultants.

#### REQUEST FOR ACTION

**MEETING DATE: 8/15/2005** 

**DEPARTMENT ID NUMBER:AD 05-11** 

#### Analysis:

At the City Council's direction, a request for proposals (RFP) was prepared to solicit consultants to work with the City Council in developing a Strategic Plan.

As a result of that RFP, staff received proposals from the following consulting firms:

•	MGT of America	\$130,057
•	CPS Human Resources Services	\$ 97,500
•	Knight Performance Management	\$ 25,700 to \$ 28,200
•	The Results Group	\$ 22,400
•	Management Partners, Inc.	\$ 19,950
•	Hard Hat Communications	No cost identified

The City Administrator and Central Services Manager reviewed all of the proposals. Based upon that review, the City Administrator recommended interviews with Knight Performance Management, The Results Group, and Management Partners, Inc. The scoping of both the MGT and CPS proposals was well beyond the parameters set in the RFP. The Hard Hat proposal was not complete and considered non-responsive.

Mayor Hardy, Council Members Bohr and Hansen, the City Administrator, and Administration's Department Analyst conducted interviews with the remaining three firms. Based on those interviews, Management Partners, Inc. was selected to facilitate the strategic planning process.

Their proposal sets the cost for the work outlined in the RFP at \$19,950. The contract, however, is set at an amount not to exceed \$28,751. The larger amount is intended to give the City Council some flexibility should they wish to have Management Partners expand the scope of their work.

#### **Environmental Status:**

#### Attachment(s):

City Clerk's Page Number No.		Description		
3	1.	The proposed contract between the City and Management Partners, Inc.		
33	2.	The Request for Proposals		
41	3.	Management Partners' Proposal		
64	4.	Fiscal Impact Statement		

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# Management Partners

INCORPORATED

August 1, 2005

Mr. Richard Amadril Central Service Manager City of Huntington Beach 2000 Main St. Huntington Beach, CA 92648

Dear Mr. Amadril,

Enclosed is the signed contract between Management Partners and the City of Huntington Beach. Also enclosed is a Corporate Resolution designating Gerald Newfarmer as the sole signatory and a request to waive the professional liability insurance.

I have ordered the liability certificate from our insurance broker and have ordered the workers compensation certificate from the State of California. You should be receiving those items directly from them.

Please let me know if there is anything else you need from Management Partners. I have enclosed a self-addressed stamped envelope for use in sending an executed copy of the contract to us for our files.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Jeri Beckstedt Office Manager

#### WRITTEN ACTION OF THE DIRECTORS

**OF** 

#### MANAGEMENT PARTNERS, INC.

Pursuant to Section 1701.54 of the Ohio Revised Code, the undersigned, being all of the duly elected Directors of Management Partners, Inc., an Ohio corporation (the "Corporation"), hereby adopt by this written action of Directors without a meeting, the following resolutions with the same force and effect as if such resolutions were unanimously adopted at a duly called and convened meeting of the Directors.

> WHEREAS, the directors have reviewed the Agreement for Consulting Services between the City of Huntington Beach, California, and Management Partners, Inc., now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that Gerald E. Newfarmer, Chairman & CEO, is hereby authorized and directed to take any and all action necessary to consummate the contract with the City of Huntington Beach, California, including, without limitation, serving as the sole signatory on the Strategic Plan Facilitation.

The foregoing resolutions shall be effective as of the 29<sup>th</sup> of July, 2005.

7/29/05 Date Gerald E. Newfarmer, Chairman & CEO

Gerald E. Newfarmer, Secretary



# Management Partners

INCORPORATED

July 29, 2005

Mr. Richard Amadril Central Service Manager City of Huntington Beach 2000 Main Street Huntington Beach, CA 92648

Dear Mr. Amadril:

One of the insurance requirements under "Insurance Requirements/Encroachment Permit Applicants and Contractual Services" is regarding professional liability insurance. Management Partners, Inc. does not maintain professional liability insurance to cover errors and omissions, nor malpractice insurance, and has never been required to do so by any client. Our work is management consultation and analysis and the work product takes the form of advice to management. Accordingly, we do not carry professional liability insurance so as to avoid passing on an unnecessary cost to clients.

We respectfully request that this requirement be waived. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Gerald E. Newfarmer

President & CEO

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# PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CONTRACTS PURCHASING CERTIFICATION

1.	Requested by: Penny Culbreth-Graft
2.	Date: July 25, 2005
3.	Name of consultant: Management Partners
4.	Attach the written statement of the specification, conditions and other requirements for the requested services that was provided to solicted consultatnts in your answer to 11 of this form.
5.	Amount of the contract: \$28,751.00
6.	Are sufficient funds available to fund this contract?¹ ☐ Yes, ☐ No
7.	Company number and object code where funds are budgeted:
8.	Is this contract generally described on the list of professional service contracts approved by the City Council ?  Yes,  No
9.	Is this contract within \$25,000 or 25% (whichever is less) of the amount stated on the list of professional service contracts approved by the City Council? <sup>1</sup> Yes,  \[ \subseteq \text{No} \]
0.	Were (at least) informal written proposals requested of three consultants? $\boxtimes$ Yes, $\square$ No
1.	Attach list of consultants from whom proposals were requested (including a contact telephone number).  See attach Memo from City Administrator.
2.	Attach proposed scope of work.  See NFP / Exhibit A
13.	
	RICHARD AMADRIL, Manager Purchasing/Central Services

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> If the answer to any these questions is "No," the contract will require approval from the City Council.



## CITY OF HUNTINGTON BEACH

TO:

Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

FROM:

Penelope Culbreth-Graft, DPA, City Administrator

DATE:

June 9, 2005

SUBJECT:

Strategic Planning Responses to Proposal

Staff received six proposals to the RFP for City Council Strategic Planning Facilitator. They are summarized as follows (a copy of all proposals are enclosed):

MGT of America:

\$130,057

**CPS Human Resources Services:** 

\$97,500

**Knight Performance Management:** 

3 options ranging from \$24,700 to \$28,200

The Results Group:

\$22,400

Management Partners:

\$19,950

Hard Hat Communications: no cost identified (no Dun & Bradstreet report available)

Central Services Manager Rick Amadril and I have reviewed all of the proposals. Based upon our review, I am recommending that we interview the following three companies:

- Knight Performance Management (918) 645-6017
- The Results Group (707) 577- **D**818
- Management Partners (949) 202 8870

The scoping of MGT and CPS was well beyond the parameters set in the RFP. The methodology was complex given the purpose of the facilitation. The Hard Hat proposal was not complete and is considered non-responsive. It should be noted that Hard Hat is a local vendor, giving Huntington Beach as its location.

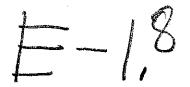
I have asked Rick Amadril to schedule interviews for the three companies. If you would like to interview any or all of the other three companies, please let Bob Beardsley know so that we can add them to the interview schedule. I am hoping we can schedule the interviews for the week of June 20 when I return.

I am also enclosing the list of proposed interview questions. If you would like to change or add any questions, please let Bob know.

#### **Enclosures**

c:

**Bob Beardsley** Dan Villella Rick Amadril



# Proposal Interviews for Strategic Planning Facilitator

July 20, 2005
4<sup>th</sup> Floor
City of Huntington Beach
2000 Main St.
Huntington Beach, CA 92648
Phone 714-536-5221

The Results (707) 577-0818

Michael Wright, Managing Partner
Steve Thomas, Partner
Allen Goldstein, Senior Associate

Management Partners (949) 202-8870
Amy Cohen Paul, Corporate Vice President
Jan C. Perkins, Partner
Rebekka G. Hosken, Sr. Management Advisor
Julie C. T. Hernandez, Sr. Management Advisor

Knight Performance Management (918) 645-6017
Leslie R. Knight, General Manager

#### **Panel Members:**

Jill Hardy, Mayor Don Hansen, Council Member Keith Bohr, Council Member Penelope Culbreth-Graft, DPA, City Administrator Pat Dapkus, Sr. Admin. Analyst





## CITY OF HUNTINGTON BEACH

#### Finance Office

Central Services Division

Dan T. Villella, CPA Finance Officer

July 25, 2005

RE: Proposal to provide Strategic-Plan Facilitation for Huntington Beach

Amy Cohen Paul, Corporate Vice President Management Partners 2107 N. First St. Suite 470 San Jose, California 95131

Dear Mrs. Paul:

This is to inform you of the acceptance of your proposal, dated June 2, 2005, for the City of Huntington Beach Strategic Plan Facilitation. Upon completion of the following requirements, the agreement will be brought to the City Council for approval and execution.

- Signed Contract: Sign the enclosed agreement. For corporation, attach a corporate resolution and/or corporate seal authorizing he individual to sign. For partnerships, attach partnership documents and partnership authorization.
- Insurance Certificates: Have your insurance carrier send a Certificate of Insurance as describe in the attachment title "Insurance Requirements/Encroachment Permit Applicants and Contractual Services"

Please return the agreement to my office as soon as possible. If you have any questions please call me at 714-960-8875.

Sincerely,

Richard Amadril

Central Service Manager City of Huntington Beach

cc: Penelope Culbreth-Graft, DPA, City Administrator Dan Villella, CPA, Finance Officer Pat Dapkus, Sr. Admin. Analyst

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# PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY OF HUNTINGTON BEACH AND MANAGEMENT PARTNERS

#### FOR

#### STRATEGIC-PLAN FACILITATION

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# PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY OF HUNTINGTON BEACH AND MANAGEMENT PARTNERS

FOR

STRATEGIC-PLAN FACILITATION

THIS AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is made and entered into by and between the City of Huntington Beach, a municipal corporation of the State of California, hereinafter referred to as "CITY, and Management Partners, a Corporation hereinafter referred to as "CONSULTANT."

WHEREAS, CITY desires to engage the services of a consultant to provide strategic-plan facilitation for the City Council; and

Pursuant to documentation on file in the office of the City Clerk, the provisions of the Huntington Beach Municipal Code, Chapter 3.03, relating to procurement of professional service contracts have been complied with; and

CONSULTANT has been selected to perform these services,

NOW, THEREFORE, it is agreed by CITY and CONSULTANT as follows:

#### 1. SCOPE OF SERVICES

CONSULTANT shall provide all services as described in Exhibit "A," which is attached hereto and incorporated into this Agreement by this reference. These services shall sometimes hereinafter be referred to as the "PROJECT."

CONSULTANT hereby designates Amy Paul, Project Manager who shall represent it and be its sole contact and agent in all consultations with CITY during the performance of this Agreement.



#### 2. CITY STAFF ASSISTANCE

CITY shall assign a staff coordinator to work directly with CONSULTANT in the performance of this Agreement.

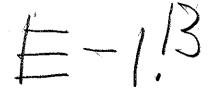
#### 3. TERM; TIME OF PERFORMANCE

#### 4. COMPENSATION

In consideration of the performance of the services described herein, CITY agrees to pay CONSULTANT on a time and materials basis at the rates specified in **Exhibit "B,"** which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference into this Agreement, a fee, including all costs and expenses, not to exceed Twenty-eight thousand seven hundred and fifty one Dollars (\$28,751.00).

#### 5. EXTRA WORK

In the event CITY requires additional services not included in Exhibit "A" or changes in the scope of services described in Exhibit "A," CONSULTANT will undertake such work only after receiving written authorization from CITY. Additional



compensation for such extra work shall be allowed only if the prior written approval of CITY is obtained.

#### 6. <u>METHOD OF PAYMENT</u>

CONSULTANT shall be paid pursuant to the terms of Exhibit "B."

#### 7. <u>DISPOSITION OF PLANS, ESTIMATES AND OTHER DOCUMENTS</u>

CONSULTANT agrees that title to all materials prepared hereunder, including, without limitation, all original drawings, designs, reports, both field and office notices, calculations, computer code, language, data or programs, maps, memoranda, letters and other documents, shall belong to CITY, and CONSULTANT shall turn these materials over to CITY upon expiration or termination of this Agreement or upon PROJECT completion, whichever shall occur first. These materials may be used by CITY as it sees fit.

#### 8. <u>HOLD HARMLESS</u>

CONSULTANT hereby agrees to protect, defend, indemnify and hold harmless CITY, its officers, elected or appointed officials, employees, agents and volunteers from and against any and all claims, damages, losses, expenses, judgments, demands and defense costs (including, without limitation, costs and fees of litigation of every nature or liability of any kind or nature) arising out of or in connection with CONSULTANT's (or CONSULTANT's subcontractors, if any) negligent performance of this Agreement or its failure to comply with any of its obligations contained in this Agreement by CONSULTANT, its officers, agents or employees except such loss or damage which was caused by the sole negligence or willful misconduct of CITY. CONSULTANT will conduct all defense at its sole cost and expense and CITY shall

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approve selection of CONSULTANT's counsel. This indemnity shall apply to all claims and liability regardless of whether any insurance policies are applicable. The policy limits do not act as limitation upon the amount of indemnification to be provided by CONSULTANT.

#### 9. PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE

CONSULTANT shall obtain and furnish to CITY a professional liability insurance policy covering the work performed by it hereunder. This policy shall provide coverage for CONSULTANT's professional liability in an amount not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and in the aggregate. The above-mentioned insurance shall not contain a self-insured retention, "deductible" or any other similar form of limitation on the required coverage except with the express written consent of CITY. A claims-made policy shall be acceptable if the policy further provides that:

- A. The policy retroactive date coincides with or precedes the initiation of the scope of work (including subsequent policies purchased as renewals or replacements).
- B. CONSULTANT shall notify CITY of circumstances or incidents that might give rise to future claims.

CONSULTANT will make every effort to maintain similar insurance during the required extended period of coverage following PROJECT completion. If insurance is terminated for any reason, CONSULTANT agrees to purchase an extended reporting provision of at least two (2) years to report claims arising from work performed in connection with this Agreement.

#### 10. <u>CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE</u>

Prior to commencing performance of the work hereunder, CONSULTANT shall furnish to CITY a certificate of insurance subject to approval of the City Attorney evidencing the foregoing insurance coverage as required by this Agreement; the certificate shall:

- A. provide the name and policy number of each carrier and policy;
- B. state that the policy is currently in force; and
- C. promise that such policy shall not be suspended, voided or canceled by either party, reduced in coverage or in limits except after thirty
   (30) days' prior written notice; however, ten (10) days' prior written notice in the event of cancellation for nonpayment of premium.

CONSULTANT shall maintain the foregoing insurance coverage in force until the work under this Agreement is fully completed and accepted by CITY.

The requirement for carrying the foregoing insurance coverage shall not derogate from CONSULTANT's defense, hold harmless and indemnification obligations as set forth in this Agreement. CITY or its representative shall at all times have the right to demand the original or a copy of the policy of insurance. CONSULTANT shall pay, in a prompt and timely manner, the premiums on the insurance hereinabove required.

#### 11. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

CONSULTANT is, and shall be, acting at all times in the performance of this Agreement as an independent contractor herein and not as an employee of CITY. CONSULTANT shall secure at its own cost and expense, and be responsible for any and all payment of all taxes, social security, state disability insurance compensation,

unemployment compensation and other payroll deductions for CONSULTANT and its officers, agents and employees and all business licenses, if any, in connection with the PROJECT and/or the services to be performed hereunder.

#### 12. TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT

All work required hereunder shall be performed in a good and workmanlike manner. CITY may terminate CONSULTANT's services hereunder at any time with or without cause, and whether or not the PROJECT is fully complete. Any termination of this Agreement by CITY shall be made in writing, notice of which shall be delivered to CONSULTANT as provided herein. In the event of termination, all finished and unfinished documents, exhibits, report, and evidence shall, at the option of CITY, become its property and shall be promptly delivered to it by CONSULTANT.

#### 13. ASSIGNMENT AND DELEGATION

This Agreement is a personal service contract and the work hereunder shall not be assigned, delegated or subcontracted by CONSULTANT to any other person or entity without the prior express written consent of CITY. If an assignment, delegation or subcontract is approved, all approved assignees, delegates and subconsultants must satisfy the insurance requirements as set forth in Sections 9 and 10 hereinabove.

#### 14. <u>COPYRIGHTS/PATENTS</u>

CITY shall own all rights to any patent or copyright on any work, item or material produced as a result of this Agreement.

#### 15. CITY EMPLOYEES AND OFFICIALS

CONSULTANT shall employ no CITY official nor any regular CITY employee in the work performed pursuant to this Agreement. No officer or employee of

CITY shall have any financial interest in this Agreement in violation of the applicable provisions of the *California Government Code*.

#### 16. NOTICES

Any notices, certificates, or other communications hereunder shall be given either by personal delivery to CONSULTANT's agent (as designated in Section 1 hereinabove) or to CITY as the situation shall warrant, or by enclosing the same in a sealed envelope, postage prepaid, and depositing the same in the United States Postal Service, to the addresses specified below. CITY and CONSULTANT may designate different addresses to which subsequent notices, certificates or other communications will be sent by notifying the other party via personal delivery, a reputable overnight carrier or U. S. certified mail-return receipt requested:

TO CITY:

City of Huntington Beach ATTN: Pat Dapkus, Sr. Admin. Analyst 2000 Main Street Huntington Beach, CA 92648 TO CONSULTANT:

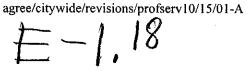
Management Partners
Attn: Amy Paul, Project Manager
2107 North First Street
Suite 470
San Jose, CA 95131

#### 17. CONSENT

When CITY's consent/approval is required under this Agreement, its consent/approval for one transaction or event shall not be deemed to be a consent/approval to any subsequent occurrence of the same or any other transaction or event.

#### 18. MODIFICATION

No waiver or modification of any language in this Agreement shall be valid unless in writing and duly executed by both parties.

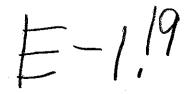


#### 19. SECTION HEADINGS

The titles, captions, section, paragraph and subject headings, and descriptive phrases at the beginning of the various sections in this Agreement are merely descriptive and are included solely for convenience of reference only and are not representative of matters included or excluded from such provisions, and do not interpret, define, limit or describe, or construe the intent of the parties or affect the construction or interpretation of any provision of this Agreement.

#### 20. <u>INTERPRETATION OF THIS AGREEMENT</u>

The language of all parts of this Agreement shall in all cases be construed as a whole, according to its fair meaning, and not strictly for or against any of the parties. If any provision of this Agreement is held by an arbitrator or court of competent jurisdiction to be unenforceable, void, illegal or invalid, such holding shall not invalidate or affect the remaining covenants and provisions of this Agreement. No covenant or provision shall be deemed dependent upon any other unless so expressly provided here. As used in this Agreement, the masculine or neuter gender and singular or plural number shall be deemed to include the other whenever the context so indicates or requires. Nothing contained herein shall be construed so as to require the commission of any act contrary to law, and wherever there is any conflict between any provision contained herein and any present or future statute, law, ordinance or regulation contrary to which the parties have no right to contract, then the latter shall prevail, and the provision of this Agreement which is hereby affected shall be curtailed and limited only to the extent necessary to bring it within the requirements of the law.



#### 21. <u>DUPLICATE ORIGINAL</u>

The original of this Agreement and one or more copies hereto have been prepared and signed in counterparts as duplicate originals, each of which so executed shall, irrespective of the date of its execution and delivery, be deemed an original. Each duplicate original shall be deemed an original instrument as against any party who has signed it.

#### 22. IMMIGRATION

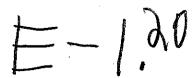
CONSULTANT shall be responsible for full compliance with the immigration and naturalization laws of the United States and shall, in particular, comply with the provisions of the *United States Code* regarding employment verification.

#### 23. LEGAL SERVICES SUBCONTRACTING PROHIBITED

CONSULTANT and CITY agree that CITY is not liable for payment of any subcontractor work involving legal services, and that such legal services are expressly outside the scope of services contemplated hereunder. CONSULTANT understands that pursuant to *Huntington Beach City Charter* Section 309, the City Attorney is the exclusive legal counsel for CITY; and CITY shall not be liable for payment of any legal services expenses incurred by CONSULTANT.

#### 24. ATTORNEY'S FEES

In the event suit is brought by either party to construe, interpret and/or enforce the terms and/or provisions of this Agreement or to secure the performance hereof, each party shall bear its own attorney's fees, such that the prevailing party shall not be entitled to recover its attorney's fees from the nonprevailing party.



#### 25. SURVIVAL

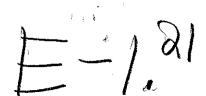
Terms and conditions of this Agreement, which by their sense and context survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement, shall so survive.

#### 26. GOVERNING LAW

This Agreement shall be governed and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of California.

#### 27. ENTIRETY

The parties acknowledge and agree that they are entering into this Agreement freely and voluntarily following extensive arm's length negotiation, and that each has had the opportunity to consult with legal counsel prior to executing this Agreement. The parties also acknowledge and agree that no representations, inducements, promises, agreements or warranties, oral or otherwise, have been made by that party or anyone acting on that party's behalf, which are not embodied in this Agreement, and that that party has not executed this Agreement in reliance on any representation, inducement, promise, agreement, warranty, fact or circumstance not expressly set forth in this Agreement. This Agreement, and the attached exhibits, contain the entire agreement between the parties respecting the subject matter of this Agreement, and supersede all prior understandings and agreements whether oral or in writing between the parties respecting the subject matter hereof.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed by and through their authorized offices the day, month and year first above written.

municipal corporation of the State of California
Mayor
City Clerk
APPROVED AS TO FORM:
Terrifes M Grade City Attorney 8/8/05
INITIATED AND APPROVED:
family Carlles Compt

### **EXHIBIT "A"**

#### A. STATEMENT OF WORK: (Narrative of work to be performed)

To provide strategic-plan facilitation for the City Council to clearly define the City of Huntington Beach's purpose and to establish realistic goals and objectives consistent with its mission in a defined time frame within the organization's capacity for implementation. In addition, to help the city to communicate those goals and objectives to the organization's constituents, develop a sense of ownership of the plan, ensure the most effective use of its resources, and build a consensus about where our city is going

#### B. **CONSULTANT'S DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- 1. Activity 1: Start Project Management Partners will begin this task by conducting an initial planning session with the City Administrator and possibly other key staff. This objective's is to fine-tuning the schedule, reviewing the status of the goals and priorities of the existing Strategic Plan, and obtaining an update of the environmental scan (or data similar to that originally contained in the plan) and other information relevant to the project. Deliverable is a schedule with dates for completion of all activities and deliverables.
- 2. Activity 2: Conduct Interviews Interviews with the Mayor and Council as will as with the City Administrator and Executive team to gain an understanding about the issues and concerns that are anticipated during the next five to ten years.
- 3. Activity 3: Facilitate Visioning Session and Identify Goals Session with the City Council and City Administrator to articulate a vision for the community, including critical success factors that must be achieved in order for Huntington Beach to achieve this vision. Identifying clear goals that will establish vision. Once vision statement is finalized, Management Partners and City Administrator will identify communication mechanisms that will assure that the vision statement is shared with the organization. Deliverables are a vision statement and a set of goals that will be the starting point for prioritizing during the next Council session.
- 4. Activity 4: Facilitate Session with Executive Team to identify Projects and issues Relating to Goals Management Partners will design and administer a survey to the department directors to identify projects that relate to the goals and identify pertinent issues that should be raised (including know resource issues or capital planning issues). The results will be analyzed and used during a session with the staff during which each goal is discussed and pertinent information is synthesized. Deliverables are analysis of the survey results and a briefing document for Council's next session outlining each goal and issues to consider relating to each goal.
- 5. Activity 5: Facilitate Council Session Council to prioritize the goals and projects. Deliverable will report the decisions of Council.

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#### **EXHIBIT "A"**

- 6. Activity 6: Coordinate Identification of Funding Needs and Priorities for Each Goal Exercise with staff to imagining costs associated with implementation of goals. Deliverable is a briefing paper for Council about resource/funding issues.
- 7. Facilitate Final Council Session Facilitate the third session on resource issues for the goals and priorities already identified. Council will make informed decisions about future resources and understand the funding realities necessary to achieve the goals and priorities. **Deliverable** will report the decisions of Council.
- 8. Prepare Strategic Plan Produce a Strategic Plan with the vision, critical success factors, goals and priorities as will as measurable indicators. **Deliverable** will be the City's Strategic Plan.

#### C. <u>CITY'S DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:</u>

- 1. Establish meetings and interviews with City Administrator, Council and other key staff with Management Partners.
  - 2. Participation in identifying projects and resources

#### D. WORK PROGRAM/PROJECT SCHEDULE:

To be determine in Activity 1.

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#### EXHIBIT "B"

#### Payment Schedule (Alternative #1)

- 1. Charges for time during travel are normally not reimbursable and will only be paid if such time is actually used in performing services for CITY or as otherwise arranged with CITY.
- 2. CONSULTANT shall be entitled to progress payments toward the fixed fee set forth herein in accordance with the following progress and payment schedules.

  Management Partners anticipates devoting 136 hours to execute the Plan of Work described in Exhibit A for a fixed fee of \$19,950. This fee includes all out of pocket expenses. The number of hours projected as the minimum commitment of this firm to this project.
- 3. Delivery of work product: A copy of every memorandum, letter, report, calculation and other documentation prepared by CONSULTANT shall be submitted to CITY to demonstrate progress toward completion of tasks. In the event CITY rejects or has comments on any such product, CITY shall identify specific requirements for satisfactory completion.
- 4. CONSULTANT shall submit to CITY an invoice for each progress payment due. Such invoice shall:
  - 1) Reference this Agreement;
  - 2) Describe the services performed;
  - 3) Show the total amount of the payment due;
  - 4) Include a certification by a principal member of CONSULTANT's firm that the work has been performed in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement; and
  - 5) For all payments include an estimate of the percentage of work completed.

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#### CERTIFICATE OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE

ISSUE DATE: 08-01-2005

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CITY OF HUNTINGTON BEACH FINANCE OFFICE SL CENTRAL SERVICE DIV. ATTN: RICHARD AMADRIL 2000 MAIN STREET HUNTINGTON BEACH CA 92648

This is to certify that we have issued a valid Workers' Compensation insurance policy in a form approved by the California Insurance Commissioner to the employer named below for the policy period indicated.

This policy is not subject to cancellation by the Fund except upon 30 days advance written notice to the employer.

We will also give you 30 days advance notice should this policy be cancelled prior to its normal expiration.

This certificate of insurance is not an insurance policy and does not amend, extend or alter the coverage afforded by the policy listed herein. Notwithstanding any requirement, term or condition of any contract or other document with respect to which this certificate of insurance may be issued or to which it may pertain, the insurance afforded by the policy described herein is subject to all the terms, exclusions, and conditions, of such policy.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

PRESIDENT

EMPLOYER'S LIABILITY LIMIT INCLUDING DEFENSE COSTS: \$1,000,000 PER OCCURRENCE.

ENDORSEMENT #1600 - GERALD NEWFARMER CEO SECRETARY - EXCLUDED.

ENDORSEMENT #2065 ENTITLED CERTIFICATE HOLDERS' NOTICE EFFECTIVE 12-01-2002 IS ATTACHED TO AND FORMS A PART OF THIS POLICY.

**EMPLOYER** 

MANAGEMENT PARTNERS, INC 1730 MADISON RD CINCINNATI OH 45206 SL

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# CITY OF HUNTINGTON BEACH APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS WAIVER OR MODIFICATION

1.	Name/Title/Department of Requesting Staff Member Pat Dapkus.
2.	Date of Request 08/04/05
3.	Name of Contractor/Permittee- <u>Management Partners, Inc.</u>
4.	Description of work to be performed Development of a City Council Strategic Plan
5.	Value of Contract \$28,751
6.	Length of Contract <u>approx. 6 months.</u>
7.	Type of Insurance Waiver or Modification Requested: Professional Liability  (a) Limits: \$1,000,000 (b) Coverage 0
8.	Have you contacted Risk Management to determine if professional liability coverage is available through SCOPE?No
9.	Reason for Request for Waiver or Reduction of Limits Scope of work does not appear to constitute a liability risk for the City.
10.	Identify the risks to the City if this request for waiver or modifications granted None
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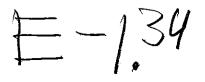
# City of Huntington Beach

# Regger for Proposal

# TO PROVIDE STRATEGIC-PLAN FACILITATION FOR HUNTINGTON BEACH

May 10, 2005

Finance Office/Central Services Division City of Huntington Beach 2000 Main St. Huntington Beach, CA 92648



The City of Huntington Beach (City) is soliciting Request for Proposals (RFP) for "FACILITATOR" for the development of a new Strategic-Plan.

### Introduction

The City of Huntington Beach was incorporated on February 17, 1909, under the general laws of the State of California. The City operates under a Council-Administrator form of government and provides the following services to the community: general administration, building and safety, public works, economic development, community services, and public safety (fire and police services), with over 1,100 employees. The City operates using a two-year budget cycle and is currently in the 2004-2005 budget (second year of the two-year budget cycle).

The City operates in a 28-square mile area with a population of over 200,000 residents. It has seven City Council Members, an elected City Clerk, elected City Treasurer, elected City Attorney, and an appointed City Administrator. Additional information may be obtained on the City's Internet web site at <a href="http://www.surfcity-hb.org/">http://www.surfcity-hb.org/</a>. The City has experienced rapid growth over the last 10 years and is currently establishing a fresh management team ready to change outdated processes throughout the organization.

### **Schedule of Events**

•	May 10, 2005	City issues RFP
•	June 3, 2005	Proposals are Due
•	June 14, 2005	Proposal Evaluation Completed
•	June 21, 2005	Interview of Finalists
•	July 11, 2005	Approval of Contract

# City of Huntington Beach Point of Contact

Richard Amadril, Central Services Manager, is the point of contact for this proposal process. Individuals and/or firms interested in proposing are asked to contact Mr. Amadril in connection with the RFP if there are any questions prior to the submittal of proposals.

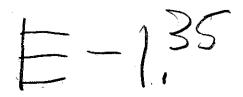
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E. mail remadril@surfaity.bb.org

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### **Proposal Closing Date**

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# Scope of Work

In an effort to clearly define the City of Huntington Beach's purpose and to establish realistic goals and objectives consistent with its mission in a defined time frame within the organization's capacity for implementation, the City wishes to utilize the services of a professional facilitator to create its strategic plan. In addition, the city wishes to communicate those goals and objectives to the organization's constituents, develop a sense of ownership of the plan, ensure the most effective use of its resources, and build a consensus about where our city is going.

In this regard, the City desires to provide a base from which progress can be measured and establish a mechanism for informed change when needed. The City of Huntington Beach invites consultant firms or individuals experienced in strategic-plan facilitation to submit qualifications and fee proposals to provide these services. The City has a wide range of ideas and/or concerns among organization members about strategic planning and current organization issues to be addressed in the plan. We are looking for an objective voice, someone who is not likely to have strong predispositions about the organization's strategic issues and ideas in order for the entire City to benefit.

We are requesting three facilitated sessions with the City Council. These sessions would include:

- 1. Vision and goal setting,
- 2. Specific project and issues identification and prioritization, and
- 3. Identification of funding and discussion of available resources for investing in our future. This is the mandatory requirements that the City is excepting to accomplish by early fall of 2005.

In July 2001, the City Council adopted Huntington Beach's first Strategic Plan. The Plan assesses the City's needs and resources looking forward five to ten years and creates a plan for the city's future. This Strategic Plan identifies eight strategic issues and priorities and identifies some general strategy for addressing the issues. This plan was updated in 2002. You can find this plan on the city's website at <a href="http://www.surfcity-">http://www.surfcity-</a>

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# **Proposal Format and Contents**

Proposal should be typed and as brief as possible. Each proposal should adhere to the following order and content of proposal sections:

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- <u>Methodology(ies)</u> This section should clearly describe the methodology or methodologies you plan to use to carry out the specific work tasks described in your Work Plan.

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- Organization and Staffing Describe your approach and methods for managing the project.
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# • Fee Proposal

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- Responsiveness to the requirements
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- Recent experience in conducting similar scope, complexity, and magnitude for other public agencies
- Project understanding



- Ability to provide services and knowledge of these services
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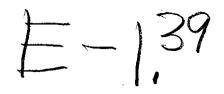
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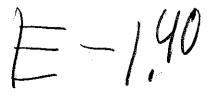
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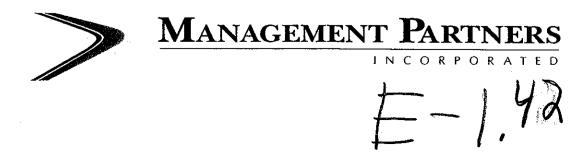
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# PROPOSAL TO CITY OF HUNTINGTON BEACH STRATEGIC PLAN FACILITATION

June 2, 2005





# Management Partners

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June 2, 2005

Mr. Richard Amadril Central Services Manager City of Huntington Beach 2000 Main Street Huntington Beach, CA 92648

Dear Mr. Amadril:

Management Partners is pleased to provide the enclosed response to the Request for Proposals to provide Strategic Plan Facilitation for the City of Huntington Beach. Management Partners is a national consulting firm with offices in Cincinnati, Ohio and San Jose, California. As President of Management Partners, I am authorized to bind the company for this engagement. I can be reached at our San Jose office (address, phone and fax numbers are provided below). My email address is jnewfarmer@ managementpartners.com and the Management Partners' website address is <a href="www.managementpartners.com">www.managementpartners.com</a>. The proposal price contained herein is valid for a period of at least 90 days.

Management Partners specializes in helping local government leaders improve the way in which their organizations serve the public. We know that successful organizations are institutions that have clear systems for the planning and management of work, while the people who staff them are well supported by good leadership and sound management in their everyday relationships. We bring to bear an unusual breadth and depth of understanding of local government, with a bias toward implementation of best practice ideas that are tailored to the unique circumstances of the individual client. We previously assisted the City of Huntington Beach by conducting an organizational review of the City Attorney's Office in 2000.

The key elements of Management Partners' proposal build on the City's current Strategic Plan. We begin with an attitude of respect for the existing plan and a curiosity about what has been accomplished and what remains to be done. Our first task will be to interview the Mayor and Council as well as the City Manager and Executive Team to understand their views about current and future issues. Although a respect for the existing plan is important, the objective of this project is to help the policymakers and administrators of Huntington Beach articulate new goals and objectives for the future of Huntington Beach. Therefore, Management Partners' interviews will be focused on issues that are most important to the City's vibrant future and those that will help fulfill its mission: "To maintain a safe community, a high quality of life, the most cost effective and highest quality services, facilities and products in response to the changing needs of our community."

Once the interviews are complete, Management Partners will plan and facilitate a visioning session to help Council articulate their shared vision. Council will also identify broad goals during this session. Building on the Council's work, the City's department directors will be asked to identify the projects and issue areas that will contribute to the achievement of the Council's goals. A separate session with the department directors is envisioned to organize information about projects and programs (as well as potential resources) that will be used to inform Council's next session.

The second facilitated Council session will be spent discussing and prioritizing goals and projects. Using the staff's work as the starting point, Council members will be able to revisit the goals, discuss the projects, and agree on priorities for the City during the next five to ten years. The decisions from this session will be used to assist in priority setting and resource allocation in the future. It is an important undertaking that will affect the City for years.

Since the successful implementation of a strategic plan depends in large part on the resources that are available to carry out the plan, the next step is critical. In preparation, Management Partners will ask staff to help Council by identifying the resources that are likely to be needed to complete each of Council's priorities. A series of worksheets are anticipated so that Council has information to use during this last session. Management Partners will facilitate the session to help Council make informed decisions about future resources and understand the funding realities necessary to achieve the goals and priorities.

Once these sessions are complete, Management Partners will prepare a draft Strategic Plan that articulates the Council decisions, including projects and funding issues. Each goal will contain several corresponding indicators (or measures) so that elements of success are clearly articulated. Experience has taught us that sound indicators enable policy makers and administrators to understand where things are working and where they are not; therefore, the City's desire to "provide a base from which progress can be measured" is applauded. Management Partners' work will conclude with the preparation of the Strategic Plan. It is anticipated that Council will then adopt the plan and the staff will begin to implement it. Of course we would be available to help with any aspects of implementation that are desired.

We are excited about the possibility of assisting the City of Huntington in this important endeavor and look forward to answering any questions you might have about this proposal or about Management Partners.

Sincerely,

Gerald E. Newfarmer President and CEO

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# PROPOSAL TO CITY OF HUNTINGTON BEACH STRATEGIC PLAN FACILITATION

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# I. BACKGROUND AND APPROACH

As the City of Huntington Beach continues to grow and thrive, a Strategic Plan that sets forth goals and priorities to guide decision-making is critical. During the next three years, population is projected to exceed the 200,000 mark. Those 200,000 residents will have chosen to make the City their home based on a wide variety of reasons—and good governance and vision by policy makers is surely among them. The proposed Strategic Planning effort demonstrates the desire to continue this tradition into the future.

The City's existing Strategic Plan was adopted in 2001 and updated in 2002. Therefore, Management Partners will begin this project with an attitude of respect for the existing plan. It is clear that it was well conceived and that a great deal of time was devoted to its initial inception as well as the subsequent update. It is important that in the process of articulating a new Strategic Plan, the work that has come before be recognized. It is from this aspect that Management Partners will begin our work—with respect and a curiosity about what has been accomplished and what remains to be done.

The approach in this proposal is one that utilizes the roles of Council and staff to their fullest. It is Council's role to set the policy direction and determine goals and priorities that will guide the City during the next five to ten years. It is the job of City staff to implement the policy direction and bring the goals and priorities to fruition. Therefore, the process described in this proposal provides Council with the information they need from staff during critical junctures in the process.

Our approach combines a balance of facilitated sessions with Council together with information from staff so that informed decisions can be reached. In addition, the approach will also assure that goals and priorities are measurable and achievable and that resource needs are understood and discussed. Using this approach we are confident that the objectives of this project- to help the policymakers and administrators of Huntington Beach articulate new goals and priorities for the future of Huntington Beach- can be reached.

### II. METHODOLOGIES

Management Partners will employ a variety of methodologies during the Strategic Planning process. Interviews with the Mayor, Council and City Manager and Executive Team will be used to gain an understanding about the current issues of concern.

Our teams' facilitation skills are exceptional and this methodology will be used during three council sessions and in at least one session with staff. We will utilize a variety of techniques and group exercises, depending on the intended outcome. Some exercises will be intended to encourage discussion and explore issues (such as during a visioning exercise) while others will be used to build consensus about important issues.

Other methodologies will include a survey of department directors to gather input about the projects and issues that are relevant to the initial goals articulated by council. In addition, we will also design worksheets to help identify resource needs so that Council

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will be adequately informed when discussing the resources needed to reach the goals and priorities being considered for the Strategic Plan.

Finally, Management Partners will also utilize methodologies used for performance measurement to assure that the goals each have one or two indicators. This will assure that measurable success factors are identified and articulated in the Plan.

### III. WORK PLAN

Management Partners has designed a work plan based on the Scope of Work in the RFP that will enable the goals of the project to be reached. We believe that the work plan below presents an approach that encourages collaboration and deliberation about the important issues Huntington Beach will encounter in the future to ensure that the Strategic Plan that results is well-conceived in a systematic way. If additional tasks are desired, however, there can be flexibility in the work plan.

# **Activity 1: Start Project**

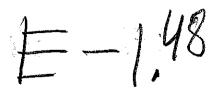
Management Partners anticipates beginning this task by conducting an initial planning session with the City Manager and possibly other key staff. We expect to accomplish several objectives including fine-tuning the schedule, reviewing the status of the goals and priorities of the existing Strategic Plan, and obtaining an update of the environmental scan (or data similar to that originally contained in the plan) and other information relevant to the project.

This activity will be done on site. The deliverable from this activity is a schedule with dates for completion of all activities and deliverables.

# **Activity 2: Conduct Interviews**

Interviews with the Mayor and Council as well as with the City Manager and Executive team will be conducted to gain an understanding about the issues and concerns that are anticipated during the next five to ten years. The chance to speak confidentially on an individual basis is an important step to gain trust as well as understand individual goals for the planning process. The information gained during the interviews will set the stage for Activity 3—the Council visioning and goal setting session.

This activity will be done on site. While no written deliverable will result from this activity, the understanding of specific Mayor and Council interests will enable a productive session to be planned for the next activity.



# **Activity 3: Facilitate Visioning Session and Identify Goals**

The purpose of this first session with the City Council and City Manager will be to articulate a vision for the community, including critical success factors that must be achieved in order for Huntington Beach to achieve this vision. Identifying clear goals allows the organization to put plans in place that will move the organization towards the established vision.

Once the vision statement is finalized, Management Partners will work with the City Manager to identify communication mechanisms that will assure that the vision statement is shared with the organization.

This activity will be done on site (or at a nearby site of the City's choosing). Two deliverables will result: a vision statement for the City and a set of goals that will be the starting point for prioritizing during the next Council session.

# Activity 4: Facilitate Session With Executive Team to Identify Projects and Issues Relating to Goals

After the vision statement and critical success factors have been determined, the next step is for the City Council to set specific goals for the organization to achieve during the next five to ten years. It is Management Partners' bias that the Council/staff partnership can be greatly enhanced with input from the City's executive team. Since the staff has both perspective and input to share in how the goals are achieved, Management Partners will begin by designing and administering a survey to the department directors to identify projects that relate to the goals and identify pertinent issues that should be raised (including known resource issues or capital planning issues). The results will be analyzed and used during a session with the staff during which each goal is discussed and pertinent information is synthesized.

The survey will be administered electronically and analyzed off-site. The facilitated session will be done on site (or at a nearby site of the City's choosing). Two deliverables will result: the first is an analysis of the survey results; the second is a briefing document for Council's next session outlining each goal and issues to consider relating to each goal.

# **Activity 5: Facilitate Council Session**

With the vision, critical success factors, and initial goals established, the next step is for Council to prioritize the goals and projects. This is an important step that will affect decision making throughout the life of the Strategic Plan. It is also a step that requires carefully planned facilitation to assure buy-in and participation. When this activity is complete, staff will be able to develop a work plan to systematically implement projects designed to achieve the Council goals and move towards the vision for the community.

This activity will be done on site (or at a nearby site of the City's choosing). The deliverable will report the decisions of Council.

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# Activity 6: Coordinate Identification of Funding Needs and Priorities for Each Goal

Since the successful implementation of a strategic plan depends in large part on the resources that are available to carry out the plan, this activity is crucial. In preparation, staff will be asked to provide resource estimates for implementation of each of the goals and priorities identified by Council. No doubt some of the resources will be available and some will require innovative funding ideas. Nevertheless, the exercise of imagining costs associated with implementation will make implementation more likely. It will also provide a tool for Council when new priorities are identified that were not part of the plan.

The analysis of the worksheets will be done off site. The deliverable will be a briefing paper for Council about resource/funding issues.

# **Activity 7: Facilitate Final Council Session**

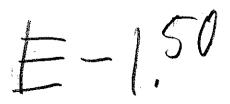
The third facilitated session will focus on resource issues for the goals and priorities already identified. Management Partners will prepare an analysis (including funding gaps) based on staff input during Activity 6 so that Council can deliberate based on the best knowledge available. Management Partners will facilitate the session to help Council make informed decisions about future resources and understand the funding realities necessary to achieve the goals and priorities.

This activity will be done on site (or at a nearby site of the City's choosing). The deliverable will report the decisions of Council.

# **Activity 8: Prepare Strategic Plan**

The final activity is to produce a Strategic Plan that documents the decisions of Council. Management Partners will prepare a document that can be used by the City as a communication and management tool. While the "public face" of the document will be the responsibility of the City, the important elements identified by Council—the vision, critical success factors, goals and priorities as well as measurable indicators—will be included.

This activity will be done off site. The deliverable will be the City's Strategic Plan.

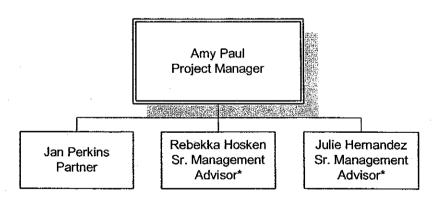


### IV. ORGANIZATION AND STAFFING

Management Partners was founded in 1994 with the purpose of helping local government leaders improve the way in which their organizations serve the public. We operate two offices—one in San Jose, California and the other in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Our interest as a firm is in helping our clients identify ways in which they can improve, by changing business processes or systems or through improvements in the "art" of management. The process of developing a strategic plan is important to the future of an organization. As the Cheshire cat advised Alice, "If you don't know where you are going, any road will get you there." The public deserves to be served by a local government grounded in a sound vision, mission and strategic direction designed to address key issues to ensure a positive future.

Amy Cohen Paul, Corporate Vice President will be the project manager for this Strategic Planning Project. She will be personally engaged throughout the project and responsible for primary interaction with the client. Amy will be in charge of the planning and facilitation of each activity as well as the quality of the final product. Jan Perkins, Partner, and Julie Hernandez or Rebekka Hosken, Senior Management Advisors, will assist Amy and the City of Huntington Beach. Jan along with Julie or Rebekka will assist with the entire project—from the initial planning and facilitation through the writing of the Strategic Plan. The project team's qualifications are summarized below, with their complete resumes included as Appendix A to this proposal.



\*Either Rebekka Hosken or Julie Hernandez will be working on this project based on the final schedule developed with the city manager.

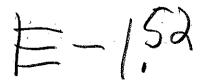
Amy Cohen Paul, Corporate Vice President, heads Management Partners' performance measurement and benchmarking projects and has a great deal of experience with strategic planning. Amy has been with Management Partners since 1994 having previously worked as a local government consultant and for the International City/County Management Association. In that capacity, she was part of the management team for ICMA's Center for Performance Measurement and designed and provided training, including developing a CD-ROM on performance measurement, for cities and counties throughout the United States. Amy has helped many jurisdictions develop and implement performance measurement systems both as stand-alone projects and as part of integrated management systems. Amy has been the project manager on major.

strategic planning efforts in Lake County, Illinois and the City of Montgomery, Ohio and she has helped many jurisdictions with goal setting and prioritizing exercises. Amy is a frequent trainer for the ICMA University and the National League of Cities and has worked with many organizations and governing bodies to facilitate retreats and goal setting sessions.

Jan Perkins, Partner, led strategic planning efforts in communities where she served as city manager. Most recently, she led the City of Fremont's first strategic planning process. Prior to that, she led the City of Morgan Hills' process (including planning and facilitating the entire effort because the City could not afford to hire a consultant). She was also instrumental in leading the process of creating business planning while assistant city manager of Santa Ana. As a former city manager, Jan brings valuable skills borne of years of experience working with city councils on planning and goal setting. She has excellent communication and facilitation skills.

Julie Hernandez, Senior Management Advisor, joined Management Partners in December 2004 after spending almost twenty years in public service. In her most recent position she served as senior management analyst for economic development and redevelopment in Moorpark, California. She was the assistant city manger for the City of Santa Paula before joining Moorpark. Prior to her service in Santa Paula, she spent ten years with the City of Oxnard where she held positions of increasing responsibility. Julie has skills and knowledge in a wide range of areas including personnel, risk management, information systems, city clerk operations, economic development and redevelopment, property management, public information office, and administering film permits.

Rebekka Hosken, Senior Management Advisor, is an experienced facilitator and trainer in process analysis, group facilitation, quality improvement, and strategic planning processes. While knowledgeable about general municipal operations, she has particular competencies in information technology, development review (planning/building), and performance measurement. She was a key individual on two of Management Partners' strategic planning projects. As project manager, Rebekka was responsible for completing the Public Works Strategic Business Plan for the City of Shoreline. She also provided assistance to the City of Norwalk, California during the development of their community Strategic Plan. Prior to joining Management Partners, she served as the Assistant Village Manager of the Village of La Grange Park, Illinois, and as Executive Assistant to the Mayor of Appleton, Wisconsin.



### V. RELATED EXPERIENCE

Over the past five years Management Partners has assisted over 200 jurisdictions with a wide variety of management improvement projects, facilitation, strategic planning and training. We are proud of the work we have done and invite you to review our website (www.managementpartners.com) to see the complete list of clients we have served. We will be happy to provide contact information for *any* client you wish to contact and will do so in a timely way.

We have identified the following four specific references for this project, but you are welcome to contact any of the municipalities or other organizations listed on our website.

# City of Shoreline, Washington

Management Partners has been engaged with the City of Shoreline since 2002 on a variety of projects. We have facilitated a number of organizational initiatives, including the development of a community vision statement with associated strategic planning objectives; an organization mission statement and statement of organizational values. Additional work by Management Partners included facilitating City Council and Leadership Team retreats, conducting training in evaluating employee performance, and developing a comprehensive business plan for the Department of Public Works. Amy Paul has provided training for the City of Shoreline and Rebekka Hosken was project manager for the Public Works Business Plan Development Project. The Public Works business plan project was completed in December of 2003.

Client Contact:

Mr. Steve Burkett, City Manager

Ms. Julie Modrzejewski, Assistant City Manager

17775 Midvale Avenue

Shoreline, WA 206-546-8978

# Lake County, Illinois

Management Partners has done several important projects in Lake County, Illinois. Initially we helped management create and implement a business planning process that identified priorities and key projects for a two-year period. We subsequently facilitated a strategic planning process with the Board of Supervisors and department directors. Amy Paul was the project manager for our work in Lake County and her responsibilities included assisting a 26-member commission through a goal setting process (with additional facilitated sessions with staff) and assisting staff with the development of business plans for every County department. Lake County business planning began in late 2002 and continued until late 2003.

Client Contact:

Mr. Barry Burton, County Administrator

Lake County

18 North County Street Waukegan, IL 60085

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### The Woodlands, Texas

Management Partners has worked with The Woodlands in a variety of capacities since the late 1990s. Projects have included goal setting and strategic planning with the Board of Directors, leadership development training which included the Myers-Briggs Personality Type Indicator, as well as training in change management. A customized performance evaluation system was developed for all positions in the organization. The performance evaluation system included a 360° feedback process for top management. In 2003 Management Partners worked with an employee task force to articulate customer service standards for the organization, and then trained all employees on those standards. Amy Paul was involved with the project to develop customer service standards and training in 2003 and 2004.

Client Contact:

Ms. Susan L. Welbes, Human Resources Director The Community Associations of The Woodlands 2201 Lake Woodlands Drive The Woodlands, TX 77380 281-210-3821

### City of Montgomery, Ohio

Management Partners has assisted the City of Montgomery with several projects, including designing and facilitating a strategic planning process with City Council and staff (as well as community input component), developing a citizen survey, and providing consultation and assistance with performance measurement. The strategic plan involved identifying a vision and values statement as well as short- and long-term goals. The City of Montgomery is a high performance organization. Amy Paul was the project manager for all of the firm's work in Montgomery. The strategic planning project ended in January 2001, the performance measurement work ended in May 2005, and the citizen survey project is currently underway.

Client Contact:

Ms. Cheryl Hilvert, City Manager City of Montgomery 10101 Montgomery Road Montgomery, OH 45242 513-792-8306

### VI. OTHER INFORMATION

During the visioning session of the strategic planning process, the City may wish to engage a graphic recorder to enhance the visioning experience. This component is not included in our proposal, but if desired, Management Partners will identify persons with this expertise that the City could hire for this task.



### VII. FEE PROPOSAL

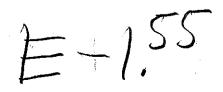
Management Partners anticipates devoting 136 hours of our staff time to execute the Plan of Work described above for a fixed fee of \$19,950. This fee includes all out of pocket expenses. We consider the number of hours projected as the minimum commitment of the firm to this project. The ultimate test of a quality project is that the client is pleased with the results, and we are committed to achieving that goal.

The cost is based on the following hourly rates:

Project Manager	\$175.00
Partner	\$150.00
Senior Management Advisor	\$125.00

### VIII. CONCLUSION

Management Partners has the experience, the professional talent, and the commitment necessary to plan and facilitate the development of a quality Strategic Plan for the City of Huntington Beach. Upon concluding the facilitated sessions, we are confident that we will provide a Strategic Plan that Council and staff will use to guide the City in the future. We look forward to working with you to on this important project.



# APPENDIX A - STAFF BIOS

# **AMY COHEN PAUL**

Amy Cohen Paul is a Corporate Vice President with Management Partners, with over 25 years of experience in local government management and administration. Her work has included research and training in performance measurement and benchmarking, process improvement, total quality management, strategic planning, and organizational development. As Corporate Vice President Amy is responsible for internal quality control and personally reviews all of Management Partners' final deliverables to ensure consistent quality for our customers.

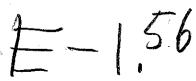
Amy has managed a variety of Management Partners' organization review projects as well as performance measurement and benchmarking projects. She has worked with large jurisdictions such as Louisville, Kentucky; Arlington County, Arlington Public Schools and Loudoun County, Virginia; the District of Columbia; and Orange County, California as well as small jurisdictions like Olathe and Overland Park, Kansas; Florence, Kentucky; Rye, New York; Rockville, Maryland; Lexington, Massachusetts; Troy, Michigan; and Kent, Washington to identify meaningful results-oriented measurements and research industry best practices. Her strategic planning skills have helped clients in Lake County, Illinois; Montgomery, Ohio; and Kansas City, Missouri. She has also helped many jurisdictions with organization reviews and process improvement projects, including Allegan County, Michigan; Louisville and Kenton County, Kentucky; Des Moines, Iowa; Rockville, Maryland; and the Metropolitan Nashville Airport Authority. She has

Amy is a skilled facilitator and trainer. She has designed and presented performance measurement and benchmarking training sessions for over 75 individual jurisdictions nationwide as well as for the ICMA University. In addition, she helped design a CD-ROM training program to help local government staff develop outcome-based indicators. Amy has also been active in designing and leading community workshops on performance measurement with the National Civic League.

Amy also directed a three-year Leadership Development Program for ICMA, funded by the W.K. Kellogg Foundation. She developed a multi-media training program and implementation materials for citizen boards, commission, and committees. In addition, she directed a two-year FutureVisions Program for ICMA, working with 67 communities across the country. This project developed management techniques for examining short and long-term trends for use in strategic decision making.

She is the editor of the book, <u>Managing for Tomorrow:</u> <u>Global Change and Local Futures</u>, and is the author of many articles in professional publications, including ICMA's <u>The Municipal Year Book</u>.

Amy holds a Bachelor's Degree in Public Communication and a Master's Degree in Public Administration from The American University.



# JAN C. PERKINS

Jan Perkins, Partner, joined Management Partners in April 2005 after retiring as City Manager of Fremont, California, where she served for twelve years, including two years as Assistant City Manager. Prior to Fremont, Jan served as City Manager of Morgan Hill, California. Her career path included positions with exceedingly greater responsibilities including Director of Community Development, Assistant City Administrator, and Deputy Manager (in both Santa Ana, California and Grand Rapids, Michigan).

She has direct experience leading strategic planning efforts in communities where she served as City Manager. Most recently, she led the City of Fremont's first strategic planning process. Prior to that, she led the City of Morgan Hills' process. This effort involved planning and facilitating the entire effort because the City could not afford to hire a consultant. She was also instrumental in leading the process of creating business planning while Assistant City Manager of Santa Ana. As a former City Manager, Jan brings valuable skills borne of years of experience working with city councils on planning and goal setting. She has excellent communication and facilitation skills.

Jan has been active in professional associations including the International City/County Management Association and the League of California Cities, having served on the board of the City Manager's Department of the latter.

Jan received both her M.P.A. and B.A. degrees from the University of Kansas.



# JULIE C.T. HERNANDEZ

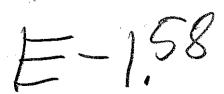
Julie C.T. Hernandez, Senior Management Advisor, joined Management Partners in December 2004 after spending almost twenty years in public service. In her most recent position she served as Senior Management Analyst for Economic Development and Redevelopment in Moorpark, California (the most affluent and fastest growing city in Ventura County). She was the Assistant City Manger for the City of Santa Paula before joining Moorpark. Prior to her service in Santa Paula, she spent ten years with the city of Oxnard where she held positions of increasing responsibility. Both Oxnard and Santa Paula are very diverse cities, both economically and ethnically, with Hispanic populations as majorities in both cities.

During her career, Julie acquired skills and knowledge in a wide range of areas including personnel, risk management, information systems, city clerk operations, economic development and redevelopment, property management, public information office, and administering film permits. She is a skilled facilitator and experienced process manager. During her service in Moorpark, she simultaneously implemented a three-year \$1.5 million grant to bring social services to Moorpark and managed a redevelopment project to build a three-building, 30,000 square foot Human Services Complex as a home for the new social and medical services.

In the City of Santa Paula, Julie served as Chief Negotiator for collective bargaining with the City's six employee associations. In addition, Julie's special assignments were the City's California Oil Museum, Cable TV channel, special events permits, and creation of the City's Youth Master Plan and Volunteer Recognition Program.

In the City of Oxnard, Julie worked as a budget analyst for the City Manager's Office and also worked as a Public Works/Development Services Department analyst responsible for water, traffic, equipment maintenance, utility rate studies, establishment of development and permit fees, and the Public Works Department capital improvement plan.

Julie graduated from the University of California at Santa Barbara with a Bachelor's degree in psychology and has a Master's degree from San Diego State University in Counseling Psychology with a Community Outreach emphasis. She is a member of the International City/County Management Association (ICMA), the National Hispanic Network of Local Government Officials (NHNLGA), and the Municipal Management Assistants of Southern California (MMASC). She has served in various capacities on the boards and on many committees within these organizations, including a term as President of the Hispanic Network. In her community, she has served on the Board of Directors of the local Boys and Girls Club, the United Way, Destino 2000 (a philanthropic grants provider for services to Latinos), Professional Latinos Association Network (PLAN), and the Ventura County Regional Civic Alliance.



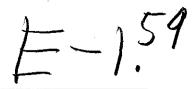
# REBEKKA G. HOSKEN

Rebekka Hosken, Senior Management Advisor, has local government experience in a diverse range of communities. Ms. Hosken worked in the Town Manager's Office in Lexington, Massachusetts, as Executive Assistant to the Mayor in Appleton, Wisconsin, and most recently as the Assistant Village Manager in the Chicago suburb of La Grange Park, Illinois.

Ms. Hosken has been a key staff member in numerous organizational reviews and studies, with a specialization in the improvement of development review (building and planning) processes utilizing process mapping flowcharts as a key diagnostic tool. Her other work with the firm includes studies of public works departments, parks departments, police and sheriff departments, city attorney offices, and virtually all aspects of county and city government including performance measurement, benchmarking, strategic and business planning and the analysis of fees.

Ms. Hosken co-chaired the City of Appleton's Quality Improvement Program and was responsible for training a majority of the city's 600 employees in methods of quality improvement, group facilitation, and process analysis. During her career, she has facilitated strategic planning processes, implemented the transition from line item to performance budgeting, prepared long-range plans in municipal technology, and been instrumental in the analysis and reorganization of various municipal departments.

Rebekka received her B.A. with honors from the University of Michigan (Ann Arbor) and her Masters in Business Administration with a Certificate in Public Management from Boston University. She has served on various committees for the Illinois Association of Municipal Management Assistants (IAMMA), Intergovernmental Risk Management Agency (IRMA) municipal risk pool, and local chambers of commerce. She also presented an ICMA conference course on improving development review processes and co-authored an article on the same topic for <u>PM Magazine</u>.





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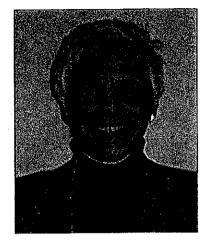
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Our Team Amy Cohen Paul







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Amy Cohen Paul, Corporate Vice President, has over 25 years of experience in local government management and administration. She is an experienced facilitator and trainer. Her work has included research and training in process improvement, performance measurement, total quality management, strategic planning, and organizational development.

Amy has worked with many jurisdictions across the country to analyze local government operations with the goal of identifying process improvements to improve efficiency and customer service. She also has extensive experience helping jurisdictions document their improvements by implementing performance measurement systems. She is the editor of the book Managing for Tomorrow: Global Change and Local Futures, and is the author of many articles in professional publications, including The Municipal Year Book.

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Jan Perkins, Partner, provides assistance to government leaders in facilitation, leadership development, coaching, strategic planning, visioning and goal setting, community engagement, teambuilding, organizational analysis, policy board/staff effectiveness, and executive performance evaluation. Before joining Management Partners, Jan spent 30 years in local government in positions of increasing responsibility. Most recently she served as City Manager in Fremont, California and before that in Morgan Hill, California.

Jan has been a leader in local government creating high performing teams and fostering effective city council/staff working relationships. She served as President of the California City Management Foundation, on the Executive Committee of the League of California Cities City Managers' Department, and chaired numerous committees for the International City/County Management Association. She has also written several articles on local government management.

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Rebekka Hosken, Senior Management Advisor, has local government experience in a diverse range of communities, both as a consultant and as a staff member. Rebekka is an experienced facilitator and trainer in process analysis, group facilitation, quality improvement, and strategic planning processes. While knowledgeable about general municipal operations, she has particular competencies in development review, information technology, public safety operations and performance measurement.

Prior to joining Management Partners, Rebekka served as Assistant Village Manager of the Village of La Grange Park, Illinois, and as Executive Assistant to the Mayor of Appleton, Wisconsin. She also has previous municipal experience with the Town of Lexington, Massachusetts.

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Julie C.T. Hernandez, Senior Management Advisor, joined Management Partners after spending almost 20 years in public service. Julie has skills and knowledge in a wide range of areas including budgeting, public works, personnel, risk management, information systems, city clerk operations, economic

development and redevelopment, property management, public information office, and administering film permits.

Julie served as Senior Management Analyst for Economic Development and Redevelopment in Moorpark, California, and was the Assistant City Manger for the City of Santa Paula. Prior to her service in Santa Paula, she spent ten years with the City of Oxnard where she held positions of increasing responsibility.

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ATTACHMENT #4



# CITY OF HUNTINGTON BEACH INTERDEPARTMENTAL COMMUNICATION

TO:

PENELOPE CULBRETH-GRAFT, DPA, CITY ADMINISTRATOR

FROM:

DAN T.VILLELLA, CPA, FINANCE OFFICER

SUBJECT:

FIS 2005 – 29 APPROVAL OF CONTRACT WITH MANAGEMENT

PARTNERS FOR DEVELOPMENT OF A STRATEGIC PLAN

DATE:

**AUGUST 1, 2005** 

As required by Resolution 4832, this Fiscal Impact Statement has been prepared for "Approval of Contract with Management Partners for Development of a Strategic Plan."

If the City Council approves this action (total appropriation \$28,751), the estimated unreserved General Fund Balance at September 30, 2005 will be reduced to \$24,321,000.

Dan Villella,

Finance Officer

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